





A crowded house greeted Hon. John Young Brown at this place Monday, and for nearly two hours he expounded the Democratic doctrine in a masterly manner; holding the closest attention of his audience, while he made unanswerable arguments. The class legislation of the past twenty-five years was shown by the speaker in all of its heinousness; the tariff question was made as simple as a primer; the Force bill was shown up in its true light; the course of Reed as speaker was compared to that of Carlisle, and the speaker drew a picture of those two men acting in their official capacity as Speaker of the House of Representatives, that a Raphael with his inspired brush could not excel; the one retiring from that honorable position with the applause even of his political foe, and the other condemned by the people at the polls. He said that all of the vicious legislation that had crushed the farmer and laborer, and built up the millionaires was chargeable to the Republican party. From beginning to finish the speech was replete with argument. Every point touched upon was admirably elucidated. Mr. Brown is a giant on the stump, and his return to politics, at this period, is a good thing for his party and his country.

Congress assembled Monday at noon.

The public debt was increased \$4,000,000.

The opening of our rich mines means another railroad.

The annual meeting of the National Farmer's Alliance is in session at Ocala, Fla.

Four bills for the free coinage of silver have been introduced in Congress since Monday at noon.

Pass that Force bill says Mr. Harrison to his Congress. Mr. Quay says no. Proceed with the fun.

An increase in the public debt of \$6,139,819.51 in one month is a small affair in these piping times of peace.

Already a bill has been introduced in Congress to repeal all the measures of the tariff made by the McKinley bill.

Suit has been filed in the Supreme Court of Ohio for the revocation of the charter of the Standard Oil Company.

Six thousand coal miners in the Birmingham, Ala., district quit work Saturday over a question of wages.

Mr. Reed is doing business at his old stand again, the black eye he got in November will certainly diminish his stock of pugacity.

The Democracy of Louisville won the applause of Democrats in this week of the woods Tuesday, by defeating a bolter for Mayor.

The developing of the minerals of Crittenden county means something for the people of the county. Let everything possible be done to assist in the laudable work.

Master Workman Powlerly announces that he will call a convention of labor leaders for February to frame a platform of principles to be presented to the country for ratification.

The Minor, Mayfield's new paper, has reached our desk. The editor is Edgar S. Beaumont, a man rich in newspaper experience. The Minor is a creditable paper, and deserves success.

There is not a neighborhood in the county without mineral lands; nature has been generous in this respect. Some have iron, some coal and the others lead, zinc and spar; and all have these in abundance.

At the close of his speech in Marion Monday, Hon. John Young Brown called upon the Republicans who favored the Force bill to stand. Nobody stood up. The Republicans of Crittenden county are prior to the Boss of Maine.

Crittenden has been moving up a scale of progress for ten years. Growth has been slow but substantial. Now that the minerals—source of unknown wealth—are to be looked after, the forward step will be quickened.

The pension appropriation for the next fiscal year has been agreed upon by the sub-committee, and will be reported to the full committee Monday. Commissioner Ramm's estimates are accepted, and the full amount asked for granted, except that expenses for clerks, hire, fuel and light are cut down approximately \$100,000. For the payment of pensions \$133,173,085 is allowed, and examining surgeons \$1,500,000.

War has been declared, and action has commenced. John Logan Reynolds supposes himself to be a warrior, and the Marion Monitor his tool of war. Let the battle proceed, and stand aside, ye gods, and see these two great spirits move upon the bosom of the great deep, and bring order out of the chaotic state of affairs into which the people have gotten. Pennsylvania, New York, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Indiana, Illinois, Blanche, Tray and Sweetheart, and about all of the remainder of the daughters of Zion have gone Democratic. The d—l is to pay, and the Monitor sends for John Logan R., alias "Hungry-sucker," a native of this county, (a fact, he it known to all, that the county is not proud of.) He spent some weeks in Mississippi last summer, but suddenly left a community of good people of that State for the benefit of his health, and he appears to be regarding hygienic laws yet, as he put a few hundred English miles between himself and the people about whom he pipes so kindly. "Distance lends enchantment to the view," and as the distance in this instance is great, the viewer is greatly enchanted. The peans of this sweet singer fall upon the ear like the untimely bluffs of distant cliffs, carried upon the wings of the soft breeze of an Italian summer's eve. "Thieves, assassins, Tories," are the charming adjectives generously applied to southern Democrats, but there is serious charge in the effusion, and to this we enter our protest. This is the clause to which we object:

"Some of our trust and firmest friends are classed with the Democrats."

This is more than human patience can bear. If any Democrat stands so classed, he owes an apology to his country, his home and himself. "Friendship" mysterious cement of the soul.

Five Men Drowned. Evansville, Ind., Dec. 1.—Seven men attempted to cross the river at this place to-day in a skiff; the river was very rough. When within two hundred yards of the Kentucky shore, the high waves and wind overturned the skiff, and five men were drowned; the other two clung to the skiff and were rescued by parties from the Kentucky side.

Quay on the Force Bill.

Senator Quay has expressed himself as follows:

"I am now as I have always been, against the Force Bill. It's bad politics, and if passed would defeat any party passing it. I am satisfied that if the bill should become a law in the present Congress we would lose New York in '92 by fifty, if not one hundred thousand majority. The bill is not only a bad political measure, but to a large extent financially bad. There are hundreds of millions of dollars invested by New York and the North in Southern interests. There is no good business men that does not know that the passage of such a bill would prove disastrous to the business interests of not only the South but the entire country. The elections this month have only strengthened me in my opinion that the Force bill should not be passed."

Ford's Ferry.

Married at Clay, Ky., Wednesday Nov. 26. Miss Sallie Rankin, of this place, and Mr. Thos. M. Holman, of Webster county. Rev. T. C. Carter officiating. Mr. E. E. Newcom and Miss Ida McGill being attendants. After the ceremony Mr. Carter escorted by Mr. John McGill, followed by the bride and groom, and a host of friends were shown into the dining room where an elegant supper had been prepared, and of which every one partook of the cake and pie, and other eatables that are usually served for an occasion of that kind, until their appetites were satisfied, after which they were again invited into the parlor where they were entertained with a few choice pieces of music by Miss Becca Nunn. Sallie is an accomplished young lady, and the only daughter of A. B. Rankin. Mr. Holman is one of Webster's young school teachers, and is highly respected by all who know him. Those who attended the wedding from this place are, Misses Ida Clement, Daisy Wilborn, Lucy Bently and Mary Heath, Uelie, Sam. Heath, Messrs John Cement, R. L. Williams, R. L. and T. A. Rankin. May they never know one sorrow, may their lives be one of uninterrupted happiness, and may their hearts never throb, but with feeling of tender emotion in joy.

River falling slowly.

Mr. A. D. McFae is able to be up again after an illness of two weeks.

Mrs. H. E. Wathen, and her daughter Fin, are visiting W. B. Rankin's family this week.

Robt. Paris looks very sad since our school closed. Cheer up Bob, such is life.

Jimmie Wofford, the 13yr old son of W. H. Wofford, was thrown from a

horse a few nights ago while going home from the Ferry, catching his foot between the stirrup and horse spraining his ankle and probably fracturing the bone. He has not been able to walk since.

Carpenter Ford has completed 11 B. Williams' new house, and is superintending the building of one for T. E. Williams. Andy needs no recommendation, his work proves what he can do.

The congregation was rather slim at Hebron last Sunday, notwithstanding Bro. Yates delivered a very interesting discourse.

No 2 has completed his store house and has moved his stock of groceries from corner Locust street down on front row.

Jas. M. Barnes was down to see his best girl Sunday.

Show in town Tuesday night.

Church at Dunnspring the second Sunday.

Acemerie.

Not seeing anything from this part for some time; while others are shooting big gun from all quarters, we think it time to fire our gun and let you know we are enjoying the Democratic victory too.

Gathering corn is the go of the day. The wagon is groaning with big loads of corn, the cribs are already full and many are building rail pens to hold the remnant.

The grapes and crab apples are fine, and the 'possums are fat.

Hunting is the order of the night. The Coons have held a convention and decided not to travel any more till next dark moon.

Mr. James Morris is on the sick list.

Mr. W. H. Hopson has just returned from Christian co., where he has been visiting his father.

Messrs Robt Carr and Antny Belt, seem to be anxious to learn the chair trade, Antny can put in a good bottom now.

Willis Dollins and Johnie Kemp are very anxious for another wedding to take place. Guess they want to get on the outside of another pound cake. Boys don't make yourselves sick again.

Mr. M. Rose of this vicinity has sold his farm, and will leave this part soon. He is a good neighbor and will be missed much by his many friends.

We now give warning to the horse swappers to curry and be ready for Mr. Bud Garrett will soon be among you with a spur on each foot and a withe in his hand, and a pipe in his mouth.

We notice in the Antioche items, that Betie is always riding Jay Bird. Now as Jay is a little fellow; and Betie is a large girl, we think she might let up on him. We know that when Antioche loses Jay, they will lose some of their brightest plumage, but when Betie goes to Corraville to be assistant p. m. Antioche will lose her loveliest girl.

Any one wanting a yoke of oxen will apply to C. Lezon, he has a yoke 16 hands high.

Coon.

New Salem.

W. J. Fuller, has a very sick child with scarlet fever.

Protracted meeting at Tyners Chappell.

John James, has his saw mill set at New Salem.

Corn gathering about over. The yield not so good as expected.

We see through the columns of the Press that there has been some mention made for candidates for our next Legislative race next summer. Our people generally want Esq. Ike Linley to make the race, Mr. Linley is well known as any man in the two counties; is thoroughly qualified in every sense of the word to represent our people. Let us hear from every correspondent and see what they think of Mr. Linley, as a candidate.

Della Flannery, the deputy assessor was in this section last week, listing property.

Claton Davis has moved to the Sisco neighborhood.

J. N. Millikan has moved to the Mahan farm.

Will Brown has moved to the Watson farm.

Thos Congers, has moved to the Ed Harpending farm.

Bunker Baker is making arrangements to erect a handsome residence on his farm.

Mrs. Blanch Harris, of Carverville, is visiting relatives in this section.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington, D. C. Dec. 1, '90.

Czar Reed could not hide the chagrin he felt today when he arose to call the House to order and looked upon the numerous empty seats on the republican side. The quorum of republicans, so necessary to enable him to carry out his partisan designs, was not there. The republican bosses say they will have a quorum in a day or two, and that when the members once get here they will compel them to stay, but that remains to be seen. Talk is cheap, but it will require the presence of a quorum of republicans to pass any measure tainted in the slightest degree with politics through the house. This much has been fully determined by the democrats.

Mr. Harrison's message reads more like a partisan political harangue delivered from the stump in the midst of a heated campaign than like the calm non-partisan dignified communications of the American people have a right to expect from the President of this United States. What it contains has been largely discounted ever since it was known that he had decided to act upon the advice of the most radical members of his party. It pleases the Reed, McKinley, Hoar, Cannon and Lodge element in his party; but it would be decidedly interesting to know just what such men as Senators Plumb, Padlock and Pettigrew, who voted against the McKinley abortion, which it so stoutly defends, think of it; and also to know whether they propose to continue acting with the republican party, of which Mr. Harrison is the recognized official head, against the material interests of their constituents. Interesting developments may be confidently expected during the session of Congress which begun today, not the least of which will be the action of the republicans who are opposed to the McKinley tariff—there are lots of them in both House and Senate, who voted for the bill under compulsion.

Mr. Harrison, in his message, has made a desperate attempt to stem the Blaine current in his party and secure a renomination. He recognizes, as does everybody else, that if he is not nominated in 1892 he will stand before the country as rebuked by the party which nominated and elected him to the Presidency. This humiliating condition he very naturally would like to escape; hence his present effort.

Mr. Wanamaker devotes considerable space in his annual report to his postal telegraph hobby. He also says that one cent letter postage would be a good thing, and then proceeds to throw cold water on the suggestion by inserting a lot of figures to prove what a great big deficiency it would create in the postal revenues. In plain words he thinks to humbug the people by pretending to favor one cent postage, and then makes an argument to influence Congress against giving it to us. If that isn't "cheap John" statesmanship, I should like to hear a better name for it.

Senator Quay has arrived, and before he had got the florida mud off his boots he was waited upon by a delegation of republican moguls and asked how soon he intended to resign his position as chairman of the republican national committee. He paralyzed his questioners by telling them that he had no present intention of resigning, and then coolly asking them what they proposed doing about it. This leaves the aforesaid moguls in a pickle. There is no way they can force Quay out until the next national convention names a new committee. Quay's friends, strange as it may appear he has some, say that he was anxious to retire from the heat of the committee just after the Presidential election, and that the same men new want to kick him out persuaded him to remain, and that he does not intend to be frize out.

Representative Oates, of Alabama is at work upon a bill which he will shortly introduce in the House, providing for an income tax upon all annual incomes in excess of \$10,000, in order to help raise the money needed to pay pensions. Col. Oates says his bill will probably not be passed by this Congress, but it will be discussed, and if public sentiment favors it, and he thinks it will, it may be passed by the Fifty-second Congress. It is absolutely certain that in the near future either the pension rolls of the Government will have to be revised and reduced or some means of raising a larger revenue adopted.

A democratic caucus will probably be held this week for the purpose of definitely deciding upon the course of the party during the present session of Congress, although it is hardly necessary, as the party in Congress is so nearly of one mind. The campaign for the speakership of the next House is practically at a stand-still, and will so remain until it is definitely known whether there is to be an extra session in the spring. Everything now points that way, but the democratic leaders would like to avoid it.

Estray.

Taken up as a stray by J. W. Roberson, Nov. 29, 1890, a red steer, with white spot on flank and in forehead, half crop off of left ear, about 3 years old, and valued by me at \$7.00.

J. W. Paris, J. P. C. C.

Stray Notice.

Taken up as a stray by Dr. Ash Boyd, in Hurricane precinct, a black male yearling, half Jersey, no marks except a little white in each flank, and valued at \$4 by the undersigned.

J. W. Ainsworth, J. P. C. C.

Stray Notice.

Taken up as a stray by the undersigned, on November 15th, 1890, one red bull, no marks, about 18 months or two years old, and appraised at six dollars by T. S. Croft.

J. Stone.

# A BOMBSHELL

For Competitors!

BUT A BLESSING FOR THE PEOPLE.

Our prices may startle, but they NEVER VEX the careful buyer

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GOOD Goods

Are any object to you, come and see the greatest line of

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, HATS, BOOTS and SHOES,

And all kinds of goods, ever brought to this county. Give us a chance and

WE'LL GIVE YOU A BIG BENEFIT.

Sam Gugenheim

MILLIONS IN THE STATE.

Capitalists eager to get hold of the Carolina Deposits.

CHARLOTTE, S. C., Dec. 1.—There has been considerable talk in mining and financial circles for some time of a great find in phosphate lands. A bill was introduced in the last general assembly looking to the sale of the interest of the state in the phosphate deposits along the coast and in the rivers.

It was then said that the money so realized would be sufficient to pay the entire state debt and still leave a good surplus in the treasury. The state now owes a liability of \$4,100,000 on all phosphate lands. The revenue from that source amounts at present to more than \$200,000 per year. Experts have estimated that the state owns in the neighborhood of 50,000,000 tons of phosphate rock. Putting that at \$5 per ton, and it means a gross value of \$250,000,000.

It will cost \$1 per ton to mine that rock, so the expense account can be cleared up with \$240,000,000, and the result is a clear profit of \$100,000,000. These are tempting figures, and have tempted many capitalists. The Carolina Mining company has entered the right to mine in Coasaw now for a number of years and has rapid land ownership. It is now ready to begin operations given by its charter. That charter expires by limitation next spring and the field is open again. A hard fight will be made for the rich territory. The time is propitious and capitalists are bringing every conceivable influence to bear on the new legislature, which is a matter of very much interest. The state is full of rumors of an English syndicate with fabulous wealth coming in for the state's share.

It is well known that the Mercers' brotherhood, who are now largely engaged in mining near Beaufort, have been in communication with English capitalists in reference to some such project. It is also well known that several English and Scotch agents have been visiting the phosphate territory and making minute examinations as they could under the circumstances. All these parties have been in consultation at the office of one of the leading law firms of this city. Everything points to a big deal of some sort, but it is impossible to get anything definite about the matter. The current report is that the Englishmen have \$10,000,000 that they are anxious to put into the state treasury in exchange for its interest in the river rock. No definite proposition has been made.

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Parlor Sets

Bed-room Sets

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BED-STEADS, MATTRESSES, LOUNGES, ETC.

In Many Varieties and Styles

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I have purchased the Walker & Olive stock and will continue business at the same stand. I shall always keep a big stock, and will not be undersold. I want your trade. I will carry a select stock of

SEWING MACHINES AND WALL PAPER.

When you are in need of anything

COFFINS

whatever in these lines, remember the name, the place and the proposition not be undersold.

I will keep in stock a complete line of Wooden and Metallic Coffins, and Caskets; also burial robes. Hearse for funeral occasions.

J. J. Bennett,  
MARION, KY.

## THE TOLU HARDWARE STORE

Is Now In Full Blast With A Complete Line Of

HEAVY & SHELF HARDWARE of all DESCRIPTIONS

Stoves, Tinware, Farm Implements, Seeds, etc.

We desire to say to the people of Tolu and vicinity that upon completion of our new store house, which will be about Dec. 1, we shall open up the finest and most complete stock of Hardware in the county, embracing everything in the Hardware and Farm Implements line from a sacking needle to a steam saw mill. Our goods were bought before the new tariff bill went into effect and ROCK BOTTOM PARALYZED PRICES will reign supreme in the New Tolu Hardware store for reasons too numerous to mention, such as NO RENT, LOW INSURANCE, CHEAP FREIGHT, etc. A town that can sell salt at \$1.25 a barrel, Must Not be passed by when in search of bargains, (call on Clement & Croft for the salt bargain.) In conclusion we will say it will ever be our aim to keep what you want and to please in quality and price. No trouble to show what we have. Call and see us in Dr. Carty's new building. VERY RESPECTFULLY

CRIDER & COMPANY.

G. M. CRIDER.

T. A. MINNER,

G. H. CRIDER.



Buy your clothing of Sam Gugenheim.  
Big stock of new clothing cheap at Sam Gugenheim's.  
New dress goods at Gugenheim's.  
Novelties in dry goods at Sam Gugenheim's.  
Nobby clothing at unheard of prices at Sam Gugenheim's.  
Buy your boots and shoes of Sam Gugenheim.  
Don't fail to see my stock before buying.  
Sam Gugenheim.

#### LOCAL BREVITIES

Marion Academy is doing fine work.  
The two mills of Marion are busy as bees.  
Born to the wife of R. H. Adams, Nov. 23, a girl.  
A big protracted meeting is in progress at the colored church.  
All descriptions of canned goods at Sisco's.  
T. A. Minner went to Louisville, Friday, taking a lot of hogs for market.  
Fine weather for gathering corn but there is not much of it to be gathered.  
Don't forget L. N. Sisco when you want groceries, tinware, and glassware.  
John Morse is the showiest trader in Marion; Harry Carnahan will testify to this fact.  
The social given by Miss Nettie Moore last Saturday night was largely attended, and all present enjoyed themselves highly.  
We have the finest line of pocket, and table cutlery and scissors in town. See our warranted knives and scissors.  
Pierce & Son.

Dr. T. H. Cossitt, the Dentist in Marion makes the Finest and Best Artificial Teeth on Best Rubber plates that can be made in this country at \$15.00 per full set.  
The O. V. is building a switch a few miles east of Marion on land purchased from Messrs King and Graves, where rock for ballast will be quarried. The quarry is superior limestone.

G. Gregory has been appointed postmaster at Tradewater in the place of H. D. McChesney, who resigned. The latter will move to Salem and go into the dry goods business.

Mr. Louis Curry, of Morganfield, was in town last week. Mr. Curry wants the same position that Sam Nunn does—Deputy Warden of the branch penitentiary at Eddyville. He is a clever nice gentleman, but he will have to hustle if he beats Sam, who has the unanimous support of old Crittenden.

The bank building is rapidly approaching completion. The brick work is finished; John McCoy, of Princeton, put the tin roof on this week, and now the carpenter contractors—Messrs John Weldon and Geo. Boston are getting in their work in good shape. The building is an ornament to the town.

#### Quarterly Meeting.

The first quarterly meeting of the Marion circuit will be held at Siloam next Saturday and Sunday.

#### Two Fingers Gone.

While working with the well drill last week, Mr. W. H. Graham accidentally got his hand in the wrong place and it was savagely mangled. One finger was mashed entirely off, and two more were badly injured.

#### Resigned.

Mr. John T. Franks, of Marion, has had all of the railway mail service that he wants. Four months ago he was appointed and entered upon the run from Paducah to St. Louis. Last week he tendered his resignation. "It is a tough job from start to finish," says John, "and four months will do me a lifetime."

#### Circuit Court

The following cases have been disposed of in Circuit Court:  
Commonwealth vs Daniel Stone, forfeited bail bond, dismissed.  
Same vs G. W. Price, erecting fence across public road, dismissed.  
Same vs J. R. Finley, failing to keep road in order, fined \$8.00.  
Same vs Angus Johnson, horse stealing; prisoner placed guilty and was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.  
Same vs Marion Conger, petit larceny, 30 days in jail.  
Same vs Bufc Cardwell, petit larceny, 30 days in jail.  
Same vs Joe Collins, adultery fined \$50.

Wednesday the petit jury was dismissed until next week. The following are the names of the gentlemen composing the grand jury, and that body is keeping the sheriff at work hunting witnesses:  
M. N. Crayne, foreman, R. W. Wood, H. F. Beard, J. B. Hubbard, H. L. Thurman, W. E. Potter, H. Swasey, D. B. Stahon, T. M. Hill, Powell Heath, Jas. S. Woodall, G. Belt, A. C. Deboe, T. J. Mathews, W. J. Hodges, W. T. Flanary.

#### J. W. Adams, Jailer.

Monday County Judge Moore appointed Mr. J. W. Adams, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Jailer Cook. The appointment is an excellent one. Mr. Adams has twice been a candidate for the office, but was each time defeated. He is an honest, hardworking man, and a deserving one, will make a good jailer. Next August the office will be filled by an election.

#### DEATHS.

The county Jailer W. L. Cook, died at the jailer's residence in Marion, Sunday afternoon Nov. 30. He had been in poor health for a long time and was confined to his bed for four weeks previous to his death. Three years ago he injured his hand while at work on the railroad, and suffered a great deal with it, and his health gave way under this injury and it indirectly led to his death. He leaves a wife and two little children, and a large circle of friends to mourn his demise.

Mrs. John Adams died at her home near Francis, Saturday, Nov. 29, 1890.  
Sausage mills, butcher knives, scale beams, &c. low down at Pierce & Son.

#### Licenses to Wed.

Ed. C. Orr to Miss Osey B. Crowell.  
Oscar Owen to Miss Nonie Boatright.  
Guns, guns, and guns. Cheap, cheaper, cheapest, at Pierce & Son. Only.

#### His Neighbors Speak.

To WHOM THIS MAY CONCERN:  
Calvert City, Ky. Nov. 22.—There is a report in Crittenden county, in and around Dunn Springs church, that Bro. Green, of Marshall county, was not respected in his own neighborhood, and whose names are subscribed below, and some of us have known him for the last 20 years, never knew that Bro. Green ever did anything to lower him beneath the dignity of a christian, and we endorse him to you as christian and an honorable citizen and gentleman.

J. I. King, B. F. Swinford, H. H. English, D. W. Larrett, J. P. L. S. Dees, H. W. Larrett, C. B. Littlejohn, James Kingende, P. English, W. W. English, John English, R. L. Slenwell, W. H. Calvert, J. M. Ticeon, P. M. R. M. Jones, M. D. J. C. Hale, J. R. Gerow, J. M. Howard, M. Grace, T. N. Stratton, P. W. Calvert, J. T. Duncan, J. W. Lander, J. L. Stratton, J. L. Harper, W. McAnale, J. F. Wane, F. I. Staton, V. M. Lals, W. H. Bailey, H. F. Gough, T. W. Hineley, Geo. Bailey, V. T. Hoover, J. E. Howard, W. A. Atwood, G. Larrett, D. S. Atwood, J. A. McGee, H. C. Freeman, J. M. Barnett, L. W. Duke, J. E. Mitchell, Wm. Davis, Mrs. Davis, Jeff Lane, J. F. Davall, J. W. Maldox, M. M. Maddox, G. Heart, G. D. Scott.  
These names are almost all his neighbors in a circle of 2 miles of his home. I could get 1000 names if it was necessary.

Yours Respectfully,

W. H. Calvert.

Large and beautiful stock of Christmas Goods, Dolls and Toys in great variety, Violins, Accordions, Jewelry, Finest Perfumes, Notions, and Fancy Goods, Big Stock of Pure and Fancy Candies. Be sure to come and see that we will sell all cheap at T. H. Cossitt & Co's, Drug Store in Marion.

#### Town Letter List.

Joshua Akers, Mrs Rhoda Caldwell, John Dooley, Mrs Sarah A. Dooley, Minnie C. Gray, James Henry, Miss Maggie Martin, Miss Lev Nodum, A. P. Roberson, J. W. Swannagan, W. N. Tolley, Md. H. Thillit, Md. Miss Emma Weldon, Elizabeth Woods 2, Amos Watson.  
Persons calling to any of the above letter please see advertised.  
T. A. McAnale, P. M.

#### Deeds Recorded.

S O Nunn to J C Wallace 90 acres for \$1000.  
W J Deboe to J I Demaris, lot for \$25.  
W R Gibbs to M Schwab 4 acres for \$80.  
D A Deboe to G D Humphreys, 60 acres for \$150.  
A E Brown to Jas Hurst 150 acres for \$1500.  
R E Bigham to F N Wilson, lot for \$150.  
G A Gregory to R H Kemp, 40 acres for \$450.  
Benj Johnson to H J Travis, 6 acres for \$7.75.  
Joe H Morse to R E Fowler, house and lot in Weston for \$75.  
S D Hodge to W C Carnahan house and lot in Ford's Ferry \$477.50.  
Jas W Station to W F Bemeas and others 100 acres \$725.

Clocks at rock-bottom, hard-time prices at Freeman's. He has all kinds. Finely finished elegant clocks, and neat trusty cheap ones, until January 1, he will sell cheaper than ever before. Call on him at once, and you will get a bargain.

Young man, if you want a gold or silver watch, now is the time and Freeman's is the place to buy it.

#### Personal.

Mr. J. C. Elder, jr., was in Henderson Thursday.  
H. C. McGoodwin, of Fredonia, as in town Monday.  
Mr. J. L. Kelley spent three days in Webster county last week.  
Joe Walker, of Henderson, spent Sunday in Marion.

Mr. J. M. Brawner has been sick several days.  
Messrs Malcolm Young and S. B. Vance, two of Henderson's prominent lawyers, were in our city Monday.

Mr. Isaac Linley and Dr. J. D. Threlkeld, of Salem, paid us a call Monday.

Mrs. Carrie Maxwell and children visited friends in Paducah last week.

H. F. Ray and family returned from Franklin Saturday.

Coleman Woody returned from Missouri Monday.

Mrs. T. J. Nunn and Mrs. W. L. Cruce went to Louisville Monday.

Mr. E. C. Moore has recovered from his late severe illness.

Prof. Brooks was called to his home at Louisville Friday by the illness of his wife.

Mrs. M. R. Gilliam is visiting her sister, Mr. R. H. Woods, of Livingston county.

Miss Ada Gilliam spent Sunday at home. Mr. Al Woods, of Livingston county accompanied her home.  
Prof. W. B. Davis, of Fredonia, was in town Saturday. He is teaching a successful school at Fredonia.

Mr. R. N. Walker and wife, and Mrs. M. H. Coffield went to Harrisburg, Ill., last week to visit Mr. John Mitchell's family.

Rev. S. K. Breeding accompanied Rev. S. L. Campbell, the Presiding Elder, to Salem, Saturday, where quarterly meeting was held.

Miss Nellie Dean, daughter of Dr. T. L. Dean, of Detroit, Texas, is visiting her relatives in this county. Her sister Lou is with her.

Miss Belle Paine, who has been teaching music at Marion for a number of years, left for Los Angeles, Cal., Tuesday. She has many warm friends in Marion, who regret her departure.

W. P. Clemens, of the Sheridan neighborhood, has sold his farm to T. E. Sullinger. Mr. Clemens expects to move to Texas, and Crittenden will thereby lose one of her best citizens.

E. N. Dalton has recently moved from here to Crittenden county. He purchased a farm there some time ago and has erected a new dwelling on it. Miss Mattie, his daughter, will remain here during the present term of school under the instructions of Prof. Marion, with whom she is boarding. Mr. Dalton was one of our best citizens and we regret very much to have him leave us.—Princeton Banner.

#### County Court Items.

Mrs. N. J. Brasher as guardian for her minor children, renewed her bond with F. M. Mathews, and T. C. Campbell, as sureties.

J. W. Adams qualified as jailer with R. W. Wilson, and others as security.

Mrs. Annie Cook qualified as administrator of the estate of her deceased husband, W. L. Cook.

The following claims were allowed.  
Newton Barnes, chairman, \$3.00.  
Bennett Barnes, chairman, \$6.00.  
W. L. Cook services as jailer to date, \$23.00.

#### Notice to the Public.

MR. EDITOR:

Through your valuable paper I wish to say to the people in general that I understand that Mr. E. Hibbs has been telling that I am one of his music pupils, and that he taught me all I know in music. Now to those whom he has told this I can say it is a great mistake, and that they have been misled by Mr. Hibbs for I never took a music lesson from him in my life, for all the music lessons I ever took was from Miss Minnie Roberts, of Nashville, Tenn., and Mrs. Lee Robinson, now of Hampton, Ky., formerly Miss Crawford, of Marion, Ky. I took lessons from the former 3 months and the latter 3 years. The reason why I speak through the paper is because I have been asked so often when and how long I took music lessons from Mr. Hibbs. I take this method of answering all at once that I never took any lessons from at all.

Respectfully,  
Susie James.

Freeman is making special prices on ladies' watches. He has a big line of elegant watches, and remember they are very, very cheap.

I wish to say to the citizens of Marion, I will furnish them with light bread, persons wishing hot rolls for supper, can leave their orders by noon, with Copher & Belt or at my residence.

Mrs. M. E. McGregor.

#### Salem.

P Grassham went to Paducah on business on the 25th of Nov.

John Woods is visiting in Eddyville this week.

Corn gathering time about over in this community.

Livingston Court of Common Pleas convenes next month.

Hon W H Green offers his fine farm for sale. It lies three miles from Salem and two miles from Pinkneyville. This land is of a rich loose black soil, almost as level as a floor, and situated in as fine a community as there is in the State of Kentucky. The house and stables are good, and everything about the place is conveniently arranged; all the fences are in good condition. Good water in abundance. Fine young orchard, etc. The church and school house are in a short distance of his residence and both in plain view. For price and terms call on or write to Mr. Green, at Salem. Mr. Green, has been in bad health for several years, and is not able to attend to farming duties which is his reason for wanting to sell.

Mrs John Boaz, of Marion, was here last week selling books. She is a fine agent and done a good business here.

Gray & Alley drove some cattle to Marion two weeks ago, and while driving through the town one brindle cow ten years old, and one red heifer two years old, both unmarked, escaped from the drove and got away from them and have not been heard from since. Any information as to their whereabouts will be thankfully received, or if delivered to them the person so delivering will be paid what is right.

Misses Lizzie Grassham and Effie Babb went to Paducah last week.

I Linley was in Marion on last Wednesday; he brought his daughter and sister home with him to spend Thanksgiving.

Reed & Babb left Salem on the 24th of Nov. with another large drove of hogs; they started for Cincinnati.

Rev W B Chrichlow preached the Thanksgiving sermon in Salem on the 27th.

On the 28th of Nov. Aheart Pierce sold and delivered to Reed & Babb at Salem 24 head of two and three year old steers for \$800.00.

Another fine drove of hogs were delivered to Gray & Alley at this place on the 28th.

J R Finley, of Marion, was here last week.

Rev Uley is carrying on a protracted meeting with great success at Old Salem.

Hog killing time is drawing near. Mr. James Duley, of Paducah, is visiting her relatives and friends around Salem this week.

"When ignorance is bliss, it is folly to be wise," and this is the reason that many merchants do not ad vertise.

We cannot see much in looking backwards, but in looking forward ten years, we can see that Marion and Salem are only five miles apart, and in that length of time Livingston county will be counted one among the wealthiest counties in the State.

Now is a bad time for young men middle-aged men, old men, poor men or rich men to go west, for old Kentucky is now on the eve of great prosperity, and this part of the State will soon be the center of all attractions.

Dr Paris, of Levia, was in town on 29.

Will and Ed Fowler were here last week; they spoke well of our town and county.

J. V. Hayden & Co. did a wholesale business in the drug line Saturday.

Women are working faithfully in the temperance cause, and are doing more than the men in keeping up the churches and Sabbath schools, but there is one thing they seem to be neglecting entirely, and that is the snuff dipping habit of their own sex. Dipping snuff is more injurious to the health of women than they imagine, and is filthy beyond description. Yet women become more infatuated with it than men are with the drink habit. There are those who would give up home, and make tenants of their children rather than be deprived of snuff. There are hundreds of young ladies who dig and endeavor to keep the abominable, filthy habit hid from the young men; this shows that they regard it as wrong. This outlandish habit is growing rapidly, and it is enough to make any sensible man a woman hater.

We had the pleasure of hearing in Marion last Monday, the Hon. John Young Brown. It was a perfect feast for the mind, heart and soul of every true lover of his country. Democratic Kentucky should feel proud of such a man. He is a candidate for Governor and I do hope that he will reach that office. He richly deserves it, and would fill it with honor to the State and credit to himself.

O. S.

Robertson & Jones, Jonesboro, Ark., write: "C. C. Certain Chili tree gives universal satisfaction." Pleasant to take. "No cure, no pay" Sold by Hillyard & Woods.

#### The Ladies Emphatically Endorse "The Swinging Treadle."

This is to certify that we the undersigned ladies of Marion, Ky., are using "Smart's Swinging Treadle," and can say with all candor that it is a grand success, being all that is claimed for it. For light running it is simply superb. While the motion is increased accurate regularity is attained. This treadle is in every way superior to the old tramping treadle.

Mrs. Nellie Leffel,  
Miss Georgie Hall,  
Mrs. F. W. Loving,  
Mrs. Mattie Walker,  
Miss Laura Bogard,  
Mrs. Johnnie Haynes,  
Mrs. Bettie Henry,  
Miss Emma Adams,  
Mrs. Flora A. Bennett,  
Miss Jennie Clark,  
Miss Lou C. Field,  
Mrs. Anna Dorr.

Now gentlemen the article we offer bears the test of the most critical observers. Milliners, dress makers, and ladies who are fully versed in the sewing art, say that the "Swinging Treadle" is precisely the success that is claimed for it by the parties who have the territory to dispose of. Having all confidence that the treadle is in every way a most valuable improvement and will sell to the people on its merits, we have not been reluctant or backward in allowing any one to put the treadle to an actual and practical test. The territory on this treadle is now being closed out on the most reasonable terms. For particulars call on J. N. Hayden, at the Coffield House, Marion, Ky.

Watch chains a specialty at Freeman's; the greatest variety, the best goods and the lowest prices are his "watch" words now.

For the best candies, and the largest assortment of the finest chewing gum in Marion at Sisco's.

Have you seen that beautiful jewelry at Freeman's. It can not be beat in quality, quantity and prices.

Silverware in great abundance, all kinds, all prices, all styles at Freeman's; and remember that it is cheaper than ever before.

#### The Louisville Market.

We have had another strong week in the tobacco market. Offerings have not been heavy and buyers seemed to have a place for all offered. Good and fine Burley is growing scarcer and harder to buy every week and for these grades the market is decidedly stiff and strong—medium and lower grades are fairly steady and when in good condition meet with active demand. The plenty of out-of-order common tobacco being offered and buyers feel that they can get that kind at any time and seem in no special hurry to load up. Common lugs and trash are easy at quotations.

Dark tobacco is without change. Some of the holders of dark, express a more hopeful feeling for these types in the near future, but it is more because of the reduction of stocks than of any present improvement in bidding.

New crop is moving very slowly. The receipts this week were even less than last week up to time of closing this report. There is not enough yet being offered to fairly test the market.—Farmers Home Journal.

#### Louisville Tobacco Market.

Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to 1,875 Hhds with receipts for the same period of 772 Hhds, sales on our market since Jan. 1st, amount to 123,219 Hhds. Sales of the crop of 1890 on our market to this date amount to 127 Hhds.

Up to this time 127 hogsheds of the crop of this year have been sold on our market. Several hogsheds of the better grades of dark leaf have sold at prices ranging from \$5 to \$7. Our market has shown rather more activity this week for all grades of old dark tobacco.

The following quotations represent our market for dark tobacco crop of 1889.

Trash	50c @ 1.00
Common Lugs	150 @ 2.00
Dark lugs extra quality	2.00 @ 4.00
Good	2.50 @ 3.50
Common Leaf	3.50 @ 5.00
Medium	5.00 @ 6.50
Good	6.50 @ 8.50
Fine	8.00 @ 12.00

#### Freedom.

We would like to know why the members of the church call a pastor and fail to go hear him preach. Rev. Belt has appointments at this place.

Our neighbor church, Bethel, is having a grand and successful revival. Revs. Atchison and Franks are able ministers, and are doing some good work.

Widow Hughes lost a fine young horse a few nights ago.

Some unknown persons throwed rocks against the church during services a few week ago. Look out boys, the grand jury is in session.

Farmers are talking of posting their lands; sportsmen are getting too numerous.

S. H. F.

## Schwab

WILL SELL

Until New Year

16 lbs C Sugar	\$1.00
13 lbs Gran Sugar	1.00
14 lbs C Sugar	1.00
Peanut Coffee 4 lbs	1.00
3 brooms	25c
Nails	3c

Glassware, Queensware, Salt  
20 per cent cheaper than you ever bought.  
Immense, large assortment of holiday goods

## Schwab

WILL BUY

Pay the Cash for

Hides	2 to 4 cts
Eggs	20 1/2 cts
Wool	18 to 32 cts
Coon skins No 1	50 cts
Coon skins No 2	40 cts

Beeswax  
Tallow  
Sheep skins  
Apples

## I C THAT HAYS SELLS

12 lbs C Sugar per	\$1.00
13 lbs N. O. Sugar, clarified, for	\$1.00
13 lbs white sugar for	\$1.00

#### Sale Notice.

I will on Thursday, Dec. 11, 1890, at my farm known as the J. P. Pierce place, sell to the highest bidder on a credit of 12 months, the following:

1 fine saddle horse,  
1 fine young mare,  
1 4 year old mule,  
1 lot of cattle,  
1 lot of hogs.

A lot of corn and hay and a lot of farming implements.  
Sums of \$5 and under cash. Notes with approved security required before property is moved.

W. R. Gibbs,

Ft. Worth, June 7, 1889.

Mr. Robert C. Stockton,  
Agent Wm. Radam's Microbe Killer—Dear Sir—I have been suffering for four years with chills and fever and malaria fever. One jug of your Microbe Killer has stopped the chills and I am much better, but am still taking the medicine.  
Yours respectfully,  
J. E. Daniels,  
Photographer, 610 Houston St.  
For sale by Hillyard & Woods.

Malaria produces Weakness, General Debility, Biliousness, Loss of Appetite, Indigestion and Contipation. Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is a perfect Antidote for Malaria and removes the cause which produces these troubles. Removes Biliousness without purging. Is as large as any Dollar Tonic and retails for 50c. Is as pleasant as Lemon Syrup. Try it, and you will be delighted. There are many imitations. To get the genuine ask for Grove's. Never fails to cure Chills. Sold by all Druggists.

Malaria fever is caused by Microbes. The germs are in the air you breathe. Take Radman's Microbe Killer and that will kill the germ and you can not have an ache or pain. For sale by Hillyard & Woods.

## Holiday Goods.

Just received an excellent Assortment of Books—books for the babies, the youth, the young and old—books of Travel, of History, of Poetry, of Stories, of Fiction, etc. A big lot of

Oxford Bibles, Pocket Bibles, Family Bibles.

#### To the Farmers of Crittenden County.

We have opened a branch produce house in Pierce & Son's old tobacco warehouse in Marion, where we will pay you highest market price in cash for your poultry, eggs, feathers, hides &c. Our motto is highest prices, correct weights, courteous treatment and one price to all. Call and see us.  
Respectfully,  
J. M. Jean & Sons.

"If 'C. C. C. Certain Cough Cure' is not the best remedy you have ever used for coughs and colds your money will be refunded." Sold by Hillyard & Woods.

#### Fine Farm For Sale.

My farm situated in the Salem limestone valley is offered for sale. It is three and one half miles South of Salem, Ky., on public road from Salem to Pimmitville, an important shipping point on the Cumberland river. It is convenient to school and churches and is in one of the best neighborhoods in the State. For terms and other particulars, apply to me.

W. H. Green,  
Salem, Ky.

Are you sick? If so you can be restored to perfect health if you use Radman's Microbe Killer. It purifies the blood thoroughly, and when that is done you are a well man. The success of the medicine is simply wonderful.  
For sale by Hillyard & Woods.

## McKinley Bill

Has raised the price on some things, but

## Crider & Crider

ARE SELLING

## STOVES

Cheaper than ever before. All kinds of Stoves.

## HEATING

and

## COOKING

at rock bottom prices.

Prepare for cold weather with a

"SLOSS,"

"BUCK,"

or "PEARL"

Do You Need

AX, SAW, wedge

Or anything in the

## HARDWARE

## LINE?

We will make it to your interest to examine our Goods before purchasing.

Only one more

## BUGGY

Left over. Some one can get it at a

## BARGAIN.



